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MEDIA ADVISORY North Dakota Department of Health Schedules Influenza Update

BISMARCK, N.D. – To discuss allocation of vaccine to North Dakota by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and other influenza-related issues, the North Dakota Department of Health will hold a telephone media availability Wednesday, Nov. 10, 2004, at 11 a.m. The following department officials will participate in the 11 a.m. conference call:

- Larry Shireley, state epidemiologist
- Heather Weaver, Immunization Program manager

To connect to the conference call, the media is asked to follow these steps:

- 1) Dial 866.262.1846.
- 2) Once you are connected, enter *3282378*. (Please note: The star key must be pressed before and after the pin number.)
- 3) If you have trouble connecting, call the help desk at 800.263.3863 option 2.

Members of the media who wish to attend in person can meet at 11 a.m. in the Roosevelt Park Room located on the ground floor of the State Capitol Building, Bismarck, N.D.

For more information about the conference call, contact Loreeta Leer Frank at 701.328.1665.

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